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THE LOCAL WATER SUPPLY

Conditions in Verdugo Canyon as Viewed Before the Storm. A Valuable Asset of Glendale and Tropico. How Its Purity Can be Assured

Immediately after an unprecedented rainfall when damage has been caused by an excess of moisture and no one is complaining for the time being of any lack of it, may not be the most opportune time to bring up the water question. But the present temporary conditions will soon pass and in a few weeks at the farthest, a portion of Glendale will be complaining of an inadequate supply of this vital element. Much of the opposition to the proposed investment by the city in local water rights shown at the recent election, was the natural result of ignorance of local conditions. When the question again comes up it is hoped that it may be settled upon its merits, that the people will only ask themselves the questions, do we need it? Can we get it? Is it worth the price?

It is safe to assume that not one citizen out of ten in the city of Glendale has any actual knowledge about the conditions at the head of Glendale's and Tropico's water supply in Verdugo Canyon. To furnish some knowledge as to these conditions is the object of this article.

About a month ago, the directors of the Verdugo Canon Water company visited the canon at the source of supply in order to decide what to do with a stream of about twenty inches of water which flows in a deep and wide ditch that runs across the canon from east to west. This ditch is located just above the land described in the court decree as "the enclosed field" in which the apparent source of our supply is found, and was constructed a dozen years or so ago by the Verdugos to cut off a portion of the supply down into the valley and take it out to irrigate their own lands. The ditch was at least a partial success, the depth of it being about 15 feet and carrying as stated above about twenty inches of water. This ditch it must be remembered is above the "cienegas" (springs). These springs arise in a piece of swampy ground of probably fifty acres in extent. During the driest part of the season the most of this ground can be walked over, but the water is never far enough below the surface to permit of its being plowed, and in the middle of summer the water can be found a few feet below the surface. Owing to the peculiar quality of the soil in which this water lies, drainage is almost impossible, there being no vegetable matter in it to hold it together. A ditch was made along the south side of it a few years ago and is still partially opened carrying a small quantity of water, but for a considerable length of it the water flows in from the top. North of this swampy ground there is a vegetable garden of an acre or more in extent, irrigated in primitive style by dipping up water from a shallow open well. Off to the west side the Verdugos had at one time a well which they pumped until stopped by a court decree. The quantity of water that this well is capable of furnishing is unknown, as when in use the full capacity of the pumping plant did not apparently diminish the supply. The well belonging to Judge Ross over near the county road, is in the same class and they are a half mile apart. No one can look over this portion of the canon and intelligently consider the situation without arriving at the conclusion that here are all evidences of the existence of a body of water that must be measured by hundreds of inches. Through this canon must come the natural drainage of a great water shed many miles in extent rushing down from the five or six thousand feet elevation of the Sierra Madres into this canon as the only outlet to the sea of the floods of water that fall upon this widespread area every winter. Not only is there doubtless a great quantity of it stored beneath the surface of the ground, but its quality is unsurpassed in Southern California. The proprietor of the Glendale Laundry said recently, "The water of Verdugo Canon is as soft as rain water; no laundry in Los Angeles can possibly compete with us for they have no water to compare with this."

Think of it—fifty acres of swampland, east and west of it where no surface indications of water exist proved wells of unknown capacity; north of it a shallow ditch that has developed a stream of water, south of it for a mile a living rippling stream that gathers volume gradually as it flows until at the point where it enters the supply pipe it measures from 150 to 200 inches. Is it not a prospect worth developing in a country where the cheapest water is not rated lower than $1500 an inch? This water-bearing land lies at an elevation of 100 feet or more above the city of Glendale, furnishing ideal pressure conditions for the supplying of this city, Tropico, North Glendale and Casa Verdugo with this first requisite of a growing community.

Preserving its Purity.

At the present this may be said to be surface water, none the less acceptable on that account as long as it is unpolluted. The question of maintaining its purity is one of first importance and there seems to be one easy solution. If this water-bearing land was under a single ownership it would be a comparatively easy matter to take out the water from underneath the surface by a series of wells stretching across the canon. It is probable that these wells would intercept the flow that now passes down toward the valley and is utilized by the Verdugo Canon Company which distributes it to the various owners, and there would undoubtedly be developed ten times as much more. This water could be taken from any depth desired, certainly far enough below the surface to assure its freedom from pollution.

A JOINT PROBLEM FOR GLENDALE AND TROPICO.

Tropico and Glendale are jointly interested in the water of Verdugo Canon; it is their natural supply. They should jointly own, develop and control it. Whether these two cities whose interests in this matter are identical, ever take the water from the Owens river aqueduct or not, the water of Verdugo Canon will still be of greater value to this community than any other supply of equal quantity and should not cost as much. It is a better natural supply both in regard to quantity and quality than Pasadena possesses, and if it could be alienated from the lands to which it is naturally appurtenant, Pasadena would no doubt be glad to purchase it at a figure that would make the valuation put upon it in the recently furnished expert report, look small indeed. If the people of this community would take the trouble to personally inspect the wide acreage of water bearing lands in Verdugo Canon, there would be no practical difference of opinion as to this matter. To obtain these water rights and the necessary land for development is a duty resting upon the officials of the twin cities which is paramount to all others.

AUTO CRUSHES OUT PEDESTRIAN'S LIFE.

Terribly crushed under a heavy automobile owned by the Burr Creamery Co. at Second and Main streets, Tuesday morning, F. M. Hoopes, 62, of Glendale, died in a nearby store before medical aid could be summoned.

The automobile was driven by V. M. Rickert, of 837 McGary street. Rickert, who is a brother of Martin Rickert, now held at the detention home for the killing of his father. He declares that the accident was unavoidable on his part. He says that he was watching carefully for pedestrians, as he turned the corner, but that Hoopes suddenly appeared in front of his machine and before he could stop it the man had been crushed under one wheel of the car.

Hoopes has been an employe of the Adams & McKee Hardware Co., 128 S. Main street, for seven years.

The coroner will hold an inquest.—L. A. Record, Feb. 25.

Mr. Hoopes lived on West Sixth street near San Fernando road.

The W.T.C.U. will meet Friday, March 7th, at 2:30 p. m. at the home of Mrs. Fannie E. Gaylord, 134 E. First street, and plans will be made for the county convention to be held April 23, 24 and 25.

The annual all-day meeting has been postponed to March 21st.

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A PINK SHOWER

Every detail of a miscellaneous shower was carried out in dainty shades of pale pink when Mrs. John Danford and Mrs. Ray Goode entertained at the former's home on Saturday afternoon in honor of Miss Pearl Goode, a bride-to-be.

Beautiful decorations were branches of Japan quince artistically arranged. Appropriate games made the afternoon pass happily and quickly. Prizes were won by Miss Rae Davis and Miss Emily Ellias. Dainty heart-shaped refreshments in pink were thoroughly enjoyed, after which the guest of honor was enthroned in an arm-chair and to the tune of Lohengrin's wedding march the guests filed past presenting Miss Goode with a multitude of prettily tied packages. Investigation proved them to contain numerous very handsome gifts.

The occasion was one of the merriest and prettiest of its kind for this season.

MUSICAL SECTION OF THE TUESDAY AFTERNOON CLUB.

Thursday afternoon the musical section of the club met at the home of Mrs. Mattison B. Jones on Orange street.

Mrs. George Hutton of Santa Monica, district chairman of music, was honor guest of the day. Mrs. Hutton entertained the members of the music section and their guests with an address on the "Modern Orchestra," illustrating her talk with various numbers on the Victrola.

The next meeting of the music section will be held on the first Thursday in March. Early musical France will be the next study pursued by this section.

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CITY TRUSTEES

The trustees' Monday night meeting was, as usual, devoted to routine business principally. There was an application received for permission to cross Verdugo road with a railroad line up in the canyon and the question comes up next week. The committee of the whole reported efforts to get telephone poles placed in the wash. Street superintendent reported some damage by storm water. The ordinance calling the charter election was adopted, the date fixed being March 18. Trustee Thompson's resolution canceling a franchise granted E. D. Goode to run a railroad westward from Broadway and Brand, guaranteed a year or two ago, was adopted.

THE CHARTER.

The more the proposed charter is discussed the more favorable it impresses the voters. While there are few who believe it to be a perfect instrument, the fact is coming to be understood that it contains wihtin itself the power of amendment, for through the medium of the initiative its provisions may be changed as the people desire. Under this provision whenever the trustees receive a petition signed by fifteen per cent of the number of votes cast at the last election the proposition contained in the petition shall be submitted to the voters at the next general election; or, if it bears twenty-five per cent of the total vote a special election can be called. This provision therefore practically eliminates the force of some of the most commonly heard objections. For instance the provision for the payment of $200 a month to the mayor may be easily changed to a smaller stipend if the majority of the voters desire it. Objection is made to the forty per cent requirement in regard to signatures to a recall petition. The fact should be noted that the requirement is for forty per cent of the number of votes cast at the last election, not forty per cent of the entire number of voters. This is not an unreasonable requirement. On the basis of the vote cast at the last election in Glendale a recall petition needs to bear the signatures of about 425 voters. Certainly an official should not be subject to the humiliation of figuring in a recall election if there cannot be found 425 citizens in a city of 6000 people who are willing to sign a petition to bring it about.

The nomination by the deposit of $50 is objected to by some on grounds which seem scarcely tenable, for if an individual cannot find sufficient backing to raise the $50 (temporarily) his standing and prospects of nomination are poor indeed.

The objections to the appointive power of the mayor is another case where the objections have but little cause for their opposition when it is considered that all of his appointments must be confirmed by the council. And so generally the most common objections being made against the charter are easily explained and answered. The object of the instrument is to give to the people the power to govern themselves by laws adapted to their local needs, and this object we believe will be accomplished by the charter's adoption.

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GOLDEN WEDDING.

Last Saturday's sunset at the close of a perfect day, was suggestive of the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Joshua Moyse, 910 West Fifth.

The home was illumined with the presence of the entire family and a number of friends who felt a reverence, as they entered the presence of the ideal couple whose lives were in harmony with the "Perfect Day," and each derived an inspiration from the examplary lives of fifty years of loyalty and devotion.

The house was tastefully decorated with jonquils and the musical program consisting of vocal solos and instrumental music, rendered by members of the family, was indeed, beautiful. A sublime stillness prevailed, as the aged bride and groom assumed their places to be congratulated by the earnest words of their pastor and there was a silent message for each who heard them and realized tehir truth.

The delicious refreshments were in harmony with the color scheme of white and gold. The exquisite gifts gave evidence of the loyalty of their children and appreciation of their friends. The golden harvest of their fruitful career lies in the fact their children have not only grown to noble man and womanhood but are filling important and useful positions in life giving assurance, they will carry on the work their parents have begun.

It may be truly said of the years culminating in the celebration of this their golden wedding day, that there were just enough clouds to form a beautiful sunset.

SIXTH STREET PARENT-TEACHER MEETING.

On Wednesday afternoon the Sixth street school Parent-Teacher Association observed Patriotic day. An interesting and entertaining program of patriotic songs and readings given by the pupils of the school was enjoyed by a large and appreciative audience. The prettiest feature of the afternoon was a musical flag drill.

Following the program an informal reception was held during which refreshments were served.

The occasion formed one of the most enjoyable and successful afternoons of the year.

DANCING PARTY.

On Friday evening Mrs. George Mitchell of Kenneth road gave a dancing party in honor of her daughter, Miss Ruth Mitchell. Forty of Miss Mitchell's friends gathered in her beautiful foothill home where an evening of exceptional pleasure was enjoyed. At a late hour a delicious supper was served.

The evening formed one of the important social events of the season in the younger circles.

MICHIGAN PICNIC.

Owing to the heavy storms, the Michigan Picnic, which was to have been held in Eastlake Park, Los Angeles, March 1st, has been postponed until March 15th.

THE CHURCHES

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH.

First Church of Christ, Scientist, of Glendale. Services in the Masonic Hall on Brand Boulevard, Sunday, 11 a.m. Subject: "Christ, Jesus." Wednesday, 8 p. m., Sunday school, 9:30 a. m.

FIRST BAPTIST CHURCH.

Wednesday, 7:30 p. m., regular midweek meeting. Leader, the Rev. Dr. Walker.

Sunday morning, March 2nd, the monthly communion service. All the members are requested to be present. In the evening, the theme for the sermon is "Gossip."

FIRST EVANGELICAL LUTHERAN CHURCH.

I. O. O. F. Hall, Opposite City Hall.

Bible school, 10 a. m.; church services, 11 a .m.; Christian Endeavor, 6:30 p. m.; Vesper service, 7:30 p. m. All the services of the church are in English. The Bible school has in preparation an interesting program for Easter.

CONGREGATIONAL CHURCH.

The girls' class will hold a social this Friday evening. A program of music and tableaux will be given. Candy will be served. A silver offering will be taken to be used toward getting more chairs for the primary room.

A patriotic service will be held Sunday evening. An address on "The Genius of Washington," illustrated by stereopticon slides will be given.

The sermon topic in the morning is "Christ a Priest."

Sunday will be "Girls' Day" at Sunday school. The girls will have entire charge of the Sunday school.

FIRST METHODIST CHURCH.

J. F. Humphrey, Minister.

Sunday morning Dr. Davis of New York, representing the world-wide evangelistic work of the church, will speak. In the evening Rev. Guthrie will begin a series of stereopticon lectures on 42,000 miles of travel in a trip around the world, with special emphasis on the places connected with the life of Christ. Ovrr 600 views. Lecture every night the coming week. Fine double stereopticon. Beautiful dissolving views. A silver offering received each evening. Under auspices of the Epworth League. This series of lectures will be a rare treat.

Sunday school, 9:40 a. m.; class meeting, 12 m.; Epworth League subject, "The Labors of Jesus." Gertrude Wilson, leader.

Ladies' Aid Society Tuesday afternoon.

PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH.

Sunday school, 9:45; morning worship, 11 o'clock. Fourth in series of sermons on "The Christ of Christianity" will be given. Junior and Intermediate Endeavor, 3 p. m.; C. E. meeting, 6:00; evening service, 7:30, subject, "Be Somebody." Monday evening, 7:30, Bible Study League and Personal Workers class. Wednesday evening, 7:30, Wm. Harris of Los Angeles will give another interesting address on "China's New Day." Friday afternoon, 3:15, pastor's instruction class for boys and girls 10 to 15 years of age. Prof. F. L. Peckham of the Los Angeles Bible Institute has been engaged to direct the chorus choir. As a church choir director Mr. Peckham has no superior, and a large and efficient musical organization will be one of the latest additions to the activities of this church. Mr. Peckham will sing at both services next Sunday, March 2nd. The annual meeting of the church will occur April 2nd. Passion week will be observed. Services every night March 17 to 21 inclusive.

THE BIG RAIN STORM

An Unprecedented Fall of Water. Very Little Damage and Immense Benefit

A rainstorm unprecedented for thirty years past in the quantity of water falling in the same period, began Sunday afternoon and continued almost continuously until Tuesday morning. Within the first twenty-four hours of the storm from five to six inches of rain fell in Glendale. As this is written (Wednesday afternoon) there is a good prospect of more rain. By the gauge of Mr. H. E. Bartlett on Brand boulevard the measurement for the storm up to date is 8.20, for the season 14.34, as against 2.11 at this date last year. On Verdugo road from nine to ten inches of water fell. Fortunately the rain fell steadily without any torrential downpour such as sometimes occurs and consequently the streams in this vicinity stuck well to their courses. The wash at Louise street and Brand boulevard took out small sections of the bank, the property of Mr. Young having the protecting wall of concrete tumbled into the wash. In Verdugo Canon both the railroad bridge and the bridge on the boulevard were damaged so as to be unsafe. At the corner of Verdugo road and Sycamore Canon road where a passage way had been made to lead the water westward, the road was filled up with sand and some damage done to property by a gully made by the water in its course down towards the Broadway school house. Some curb was taken out on Adams street which thoroughfare suffered in consequence of being made to carry more than its proper share of the water which backed up westward from the Childs tract line by the school house. Altogether Glendale and vicinity were particularly fortunate and the storm will be of immense benefit to all of Southern California.

M. E. CHURCH, CASA VERDUGO.

Holy Communion, Sabbath morning, subject of sermon, "Christ Suffered for us." Sabath school at 9:45.

New members are being received from time to time and yet there is room for more.

Prayer meeting Wednesday evening at 7:45. Preaching on Sabbath at 11 and 7 o'clock. Subject of Sabbath evening sermon, "One Baptism."

LADIES' AID SOCIETY MEETING.

The Ladies' Aid Society of the Presbyterian church will hold its monthly meeting at the church on Tuesday, March 4th, at 2:30 p. m. All ladies requested to be present.

The Ladies' Aid of the First M. E. church will meet at the home of Mrs. Dodge, 415 S. Verdugo road, Tuesday, March 4th, at 2:30 p. m.

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ANNOUNCEMENT.

The GLENDALE NEWS has passed into the ownership of Mr. A. T. Cowan who will take charge of the property March 1st. Mr. Cowan is a successful newspaper man of several years' experience who comes from Polo, Ills., bearing high testimonials as to his character and ability. He comes to Glendale with his family and expects to stay and do his full part in the upbuilding of our city. He will immediately make additions to the plant and expects within a short time to have a Linotype machine and other equipment installed which will enable him to do any work in the printing line which our people may require.

We recommend Mr. Cowan to the people of Glendale and vicinity and bespeak for him not only the patronage which has been given the paper in the past, but a large and immediate increase such as the community can well afford to give.

The retiring editor of the NEWS expresses hereby his appreciation of the loyal support the paper has received from a portion of the community during the six years that he has been in control of it, and regrets the severing of many pleasant business relations. He regrets also that temporarily at least he drops out of the fraternal circle of the "Fourth Estate," within which he has found friends. The course of the NEWS during the six years past has not been trimmed to meet the popular fancy, the aim of its editor being to be honest first at the risk of being popular afterwards. We have upheld no cause in which we did not thoroughly believe and have endeavored with fair success to be just and unprejudiced in dealing with matters of public interest.

Our interests are still, as for thirty years past, in the sturdy and ambitious young city which we have seen grow out of the sage brush and sheep pastures, and we hope to continue to assist in the pleasant duty of preparing Glendale for its bright future.

J. C. SHERER.

There is still hope for Chicagoans. They hissed a man who made a "free love" speech at a public meeting the other day.

The assassination of ex-President Madero in Mexico City will be a heavy handicap for the newly formed government to carry and will deprive President Huerta of much of the sympathy which he might reasonably expect from the other nations.

The opinion expressed by Lincoln Steffens on the stand in testifying in the Darrow case the other day, that he did not consider the dynamiting of the Times building and the consequent murder of twenty innocent persons by the McNamaras as murder, places that professional much-raker where he properly belongs, in the ranks of the undesirable anarchists.

Mrs. Kate W. Barrett of Washington, national president of the Florence Crittenden Homes, expressed the opinion in Los Angeles the other day that municipal dance halls, properly safeguarded are a good thing. There are many who will disagree with the lady's opinion, but her more intimate knowledge of the subject as against that of those without experience in social work, must carry weight.

The general public appears to be influenced in its attitude toward railroad corporations by a vague belief that they are the property of a few men of wealth. Charles S. Wheeler, attorney for the Western Pacific Railroad, made a statement before the railroad commission of this state a few days ago which is no doubt true, that while 63 per cent of the Union Pacific Company's stock is held by 300 stockholders, the remaining 37 per cent is in the hands of 22,000 individuals.

An Associated Press report the other day was flashed over the wires containing the announcement that President-elect Wilson gave up his seat on a car to a woman standing in the aisle. This is immensely important and while it is not proof positive, yet indicates that Mr. Wilson is a gentleman, at which we rejoice. He has no advantage over President Taft, however, who according to unimpeachable testimony, recently gave up his seat in a street car to three women!

There is encouragement in the fact that at the convention of the International Association of Bridge and Structural Ironworkers at Indianapolis, there was a large element among the delegates who were opposed to the continuation at the head of the organization of Thomas F. Ryan, recently temporarily released from the Leavenworth jail. There is significance also in the fact that the opposition came principally from eastern representatives. A little thing like a prison record in the estimation of the majority of the westerners, is not considered a bar sinister on the escutcheon of any one who pretends to be devoted to the cause of labor.

The purport of Senate Constitutional Amendment No. 20 seems to be to do away with the office of school superintendent or to take away his powers and make him subject to a board appointed by the governor. The state school superintendent is an officer elected by the people for a fixed term, but the popular idea of government just now is to have everything done through appointment by the governor, an idea as widely different from the much talked of "rule of the people," as a despotic monarchy differs from a republic. They have a more genteel way of getting power into a few hands up at Sacramento than the crude methods that prevail in Mexico, but the tendency is in the same direction.

The "Blue Sky" law proposed by Senator Gates seems to be a piece of ill-considered legislation which should be stopped by the senatorial waste basket before it gets to the governor. It proposes to throw safeguards around the investments that are offered to the public from time to time and in this it is commendable. It is fashioned after a Kansas law which is said to have had the effect of making it possible for a small coterie of financiers to monopolize the investment business in the state. In Kansas it is said to take from thirty days to four years to get permission to do business in the case of a new corporation and plays into the hands of the banks and trust companies.

FOR THE INFORMATION OF IOWA.

"When, in the memory of the oldest inhabitant, has the leading crop product of southeastern Iowa been wiped out by climatic conditions, as was the fruit crop of California. (the leading crop of that state), not many days ago? And this too in the much-advertised always summer climate of that Pacific state."

A friend hands in the above clipping from an Iowa paper and we hasten to relieve the mind of the questioner, not by direct reply to his query as to what has happened in Iowa, but by assuring him that the oranges and lemons of Southern California are not the "whole fruit crop of the state," and are not even the whole of the citrus fruit crop by a few thousand carloads. Up to the time of our going to press, the California dried fruit crop has not been seriously frozen and it amounted during 1912 to 239,000 tons. Canned fruits are still uninjured, the cans having been picked before the frost arrived, and we find that Great Britain alone took about a million cases from us last year and will no doubt want some more during the coming season.

They do raise oranges down in Orange county and before Jack Frost came along they sent to Iowa and other hungry eastern states 1000 carloads of celery—for the nerves. The statistics for 1912 are not at hand but we believe that the deciduous fruit orchards of northern California are still donig business at the old stand and in 1911 they sent over the Rockies eastward to the hungry people of Iowa and elsewhere carloads as follows:

Cherries 216, apricots 214, peaches 2027, plums and prunes 1391, pears 2324, grapes 6374, apples about 4000. A total of about 14,000 carloads. The total crop of raisins in that year was 140,000,000 pounds. And then we had more wine and brandy than we could drink so that we were able to relieve the thirst of 32 countries all over the world by sending out over fifty million gallons to cheer and inebriate (maybe).

And we had a few green vegetables to spare also, for we find that there were shipped over two million cases. We shipped 1700 pounds of almonds and 12,000 pounds of walnuts during that year.

And when we come down to poultry and eggs, there is a little town near San Francisco where they have a few coops full of chickens and we find that this place (Petaluma) sold during the year 80,553 dozen eggs, besides what they ate at home and used for setting, and they hatch out a few million chicks there every year.

Then somebody said "Beans," why bless your soul, we shipped out thirty million dollars worth of beans in 1911 and have been doing better since.

We raised and disposed of 40,000 bales of hops.

The output of sugar was thirteen million dollars worth and it's rapidly increasing. The production of gold was over twenty millions. The output of petroleum was 22 per cent of the world's supply, of which the United States produces 64 per cent.

We won't mention the tourist crop which is better this year than ever and there are whole dozens of them from Iowa. Altogether our friends in Iowa need not start their relief trains out this way yet, we are doing quite well, thank you.

WELCOME THE COMING—SPEED THE PARTING.

Next Tuesday, William H. Taft will retire to private life and Woodrow Wilson will succeed him as president of the United States. The day will mark the end of one political era in the history of our country and the beginning of another, and the future historian will no doubt note the change as one of great importance to the country. President Taft will step down to private life conscious of the fact that he has been a disappointment to a large body of his countrymen. He no doubt regrets that he has not achieved popularity, but his patriotic singleness of purpose doubtless causes him to regret much more poignantly his failure to get enacted into law the two great measures which were almost put through by his administration, Canadian reciprocity and the peace treaties with Great Britain and France. He has the consciousness of having done his full duty in these matters of wide world interest, and if philosophical enough can say to his able assistant in the state department, in the language of Addison's hero:

"'Tis not in mortals to command success;
But we'll do more Sempronius, we'll deserve it."

The administration of President Taft has been statesmanlike in things accomplished and in the greater things attempted. The United States is a great world power and great things have been accomplished in many directions in the last four years in dealing with other nations. In China the policy of the "Open Door" to the commerce of the world has been sustained by the preponderance of this country's influence; in Russia the rights of Jewish American citizens have been enforced; in Nicaragua, Jamaica, Cuba and other South American countries, the strong arm of our government has prevented revolution and anarchy, while under great provocation and pressure from abroad as well as at home our country has thus far been kept from embroilment with Mexico. In domestic affairs it has been the opposition of partisanship alone that has prevented the adoption of a rational plan for dealing with the tariff that would have done away with the slipshod and unsystematic methods that have heretofore prevailed and have put the whole subject on a reasonable and scientific basis. Using the same law which has been on the statute books for twenty-five years, the present administration has done more towards bringing about the dissolution of monopolistic trusts than all of the previous administrations during that quarter century. The postoffice department has been put on a basis of efficiency never before attained, and in face of the opposition of the carrying companies, the parcels post system has been established; while as opposed to the banking interests we now have the postal savings system. It has been an administration of quiet effectual attainment, directed by one of the greatest statesmanlike and patriotic of our presidents and history will record it a success, except from the circumscribed viewpoint of partisanship.

The incoming president is generally accepted as a man of ability and good intentions. He is an untried quantity in dealing with national affairs and if he can blend together the warring factions of his party and get through his term of office without making serious mistakes, he will either demonstrate his greatness or show that he was born under a beneficent star, for the problems that confront him are more complex than presidents have had to meet in recent years.

On February 18th, Mr. and Mrs. Chauncey W. Brown of North Louise street entertained at dinner in honor of their tenth wedding anniversary. Guests included Dr. and Mrs. Charles L. Sexton of Los Angeles, Mr. and Mrs. R. Frisselle Haish, Miss Marian Haish of Hollywood and Mr. Vincent Dunn of Los Angeles. Covers were laid for ten.

Mr. J. F. Shackford, nephew of the late Charles Shackford, one of the principal merchants of Conway, N. H., is visiting his daughter, Miss Hazel Shackford, who came to Glendale about a year ago to take care of her aunt, Mrs. Ella J. Shackford, of Belmont street. Mr. Shackford is much taken with Southern California, this being his first visit.

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SILVER CREST, made from sweet cream, lb.....43c
Santa Anita, lb.....40c
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EGGS!—
Fresh from the ranch, doz. 23c
2 doz. for 45c

Golden Egg Noodles, (finest quality) pkg. 10c..... 3 for 25

RED KIDNEY BEANS!—
Exceptionally fine, can.....15c
2 for 25c

Baked Beans, in large cans, these are Dyer's, and in Tomato Sauce. They are very good, can 15c.....2 for 25c

Fox's Health Food, 2 10c pkgs. for.....15c

Krinkle Corn Flakes, 2 10c pkgs. for 15c

Superior Spaghetti, 2 10c pkgs. for 15c

Superior Macaroni, 2 10c pkgs. for 15c

Post-Tavern Special, a food made of wheat, rice and corn skilfully blended. Sold in two sizes, 15c; 2 for 25c, and 20c 2 for 35c

During next week, every afternoon, we shall have a demonstration of the full line of Battle Creek food cereals—come and try them—free samples.

Prepared Horse Radish, a fine relish for cold or hot meat, bottle 10c.....3 for 25c

Shrimp, packed dry, finest quality, can, 1s, 15c; 1½s 25c

BLUE SEA TUNA, a delicious fish for Salads, can.....15c

Strawberry Preserve in 5-lb. crocks.....75c

Currant and Apple Jelly, in 5-lb. crocks.....75c

Fig Preserve, in 5-lb. crocks 60c

APPLES!—
Another shipment of Watsonville NEWTOWN PIPPINS—these are splendid value. Nice clean 4-tier fruit, good for eating or cooking, box $1 25; 6 lbs. 25c

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The Glendale News

GLENDALE, CAL., FEBRUARY 28, 1913

ONE WHO CARES.

Myrtle Kathryn Tallman.

When you are sorely oppressed, sad heart,
And everything seems to go wrong
When your fondest hopes are crushed, dear heart,
And you cease to be brave and strong;
Pray do not think for a moment, dear,
There is no one your trouble shares
For when your path is strewn with briars,
Just remember that some one cares.

When the winter rains are falling, dear,
And the world is wrapped in gloom,
When the days grow long and cheerless, dear,
As you sit alone in your room;
Just think of the coming spring time, dear,
When the beauty of nature ensnares,
Keep your vision on the star of hope
And remember the one who cares.

When temptation lurks in your pathway,
And you feel half inclined to yield,
Thinking perhaps to drown your troubles,
Or hoping some heartache to shield;
Forget not the one who loves you best,
Who thinks of you in her prayers,
There is one who wishes you well, dear,
Yes, remember there's one who cares.

SUNDAY CONCERT.

The concert to be given Sunday at the Auditorium theater in Los Angeles will be of especial interest to the residents of Glendale because of the prominent part to be taken by Mrs. Norma Rockhold-Robbins who is well known in Glendale, having resided here for seevral years. Mrs. Robbins possesses a rich contralto voice which won a place for her among the foremost artists of Europe as well as in America. She has a thorough schooling in grand opera, concert and church singing and has unusual qualifications as an instructor. She is now engaged in teaching voice culture in the College of Music, University of Southern California and is also the soloist in Immanuel Presbyterian church. Mrs. Robbins is as favorably known for her charming personality as for her beautiful voice.

Other interesting numbers are Mendelssohn's Spring Song, and the Overture in Boheme by Henry K. Hadley, who is at present the conductor of the San Francisco Symphony orchestra. Students of Wagner will hear one of their favorite numbers. Another composition by Rossini is to be played and one by W. E. Haesche, a composer about whom little is known.

SCHOOL ARCHITECTURE.

The superintendent of public instruction at Sacramento has invited all the county and city superintendents of the state to cooperate in the preparation of a handbook on school house architecture for the use of the school people of California. Each superintendent will prepare pictures, plans and specifications of one or more of his best school buildings. These will be brought before a committee of eminent school architects from different parts of the state, who will pass judgment on the merits and demerits of the various plans submitted.

These plans, with the remarks and criticisms of the architects, will be made the basis of a helpful guide book for the use of school boards in future who are about to build houses or improve school property. It should result in raising the standard of public buildings and its effects will become apparent in the future landscape of the state. We hope that our own superintendent takes pains to have our county represented by the best that we have. An enterprising people must put its best foot forward in movements for public improvements.

Everyone is familiar with the seven wonders of the world, but mighty few know the seven wonders of the San Fernando Valley. (1) San Fernando Mission; (2) the large unirrigated deciduous fruit district of Lankershim; (3) the Los Angeles aqueduct; (4) the wonder town of Van Nuys; (5) the Universal Film Co.'s undertakings; (6) the largest olive orchard in the world; (7) the Los Angeles earth reservoir. Besides these great and mighty bignesses the valley can boast of having the "spot" where General Fremont signed the treaty of peace with the Spanish rulers. The famous Cahuenga Pass has had much to do with the history of the valley. The great Sherman Way boulevard will have much to do in the making of future history of the valley. As a whole the valley is some pumpkin.—Lankershim Laconic.

RESOLUTION NO. 556.

A RESOLUTION OF THE BOARD OF TRUSTEES OF THE CITY OF GLENDALE ORDERING CERTAIN STREET WORK TO BE DONE ON DRYDEN STREET AND CAMPBELL STREET IN SAID CITY.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale do resolve as follows:

SECTION 1. That the street work herein described is required by the public interest and convenience, and the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, State of California, hereby orders to be done the work on Dryden Street and Campbell Street described in Sections 1 and 2 of Resolution of Intention No. 512 of the City of Glendale, to which said resolution reference is hereby made for a description of said work.

SECTION 2. That the said Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale finds, upon estimates directed to be furnished and furnished by the City Engineer of said City of Glendale, that the total cost of said proposed work of improvement will be greater than fifty (50) cents per front foot along each line of said street so proposed to be improved, as hereinbefore set forth, including the cost of intersection work assessable upon said frontage; and said Board of Trustees determines that serial bonds shall be issued to represent the cost of said work or improvement; said serial bonds shall be extended over a period ending nine (9) years from and after the second day of January next succeeding the date of said bonds, and an even annual proportion of the principal sum thereof shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January every year after their date until the whole is paid, and the interest shall be payable semi-annually by coupon on the second days of January and July respectively of each year, at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid, until the whole of said principal and interest are paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled "An Act to provide a system of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost of street work and improvement within municipalities, and also for the payment of such bonds," approved February 27th, 1893, and of all acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

SECTION 3. The Glendale News, a weekly newspaper of general circulation, published and circulated in said City of Glendale, is hereby designated as the newspaper in which this Resolution and notice of said street work inviting sealed proposals shall be published in the manner and form and by the persons required by law.

SECTION 4. The City Clerk of the City of Glendale is hereby directed to post conspicuously for five days on or near the chamber door of the Board of Trustees, in the manner and form required by law, a notice with Specifications, inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing said work; and said City Clerk is hereby directed to publish for two days in said newspaper hereby designated for that purpose, as aforesaid, in the manner and in the form required by law, a notice of said work inviting sealed proposals or bids for doing said work, and referring to the Specifications posted or on file.

Said notice shall require a certified check or bond, either, as prescribed by law, and for an amount not less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposal. Said City Clerk is also hereby directed to publish this Resolution for two days, in the manner required by law, in said newspaper designated for that purpose, as aforesaid.

Adopted and approved this 17th day of February, 1913.

T. W. WATSON,
President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale.

[Seal]

Attest:
G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk of the City of Glendale.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,)
)ss.
CITY OF GLENDALE.)

I, G. B. Woodberry, City Clerk of the City of Glendale, do hereby certify that the foregoing resolution was duly passed by the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, State of California, and signed by the President of said Board at a regular meeting thereof, held on the 17th day of February, 1913.

Ayes: Coker, Thompson, Tower, Watson.
Noes: None.
Abent: Lane.

G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk of the City of Glendale.

NOTICE INVITING STREET WORK PROPOSALS.

Pursuant to Statute and to Resolutin No. 556 of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, California, adopted the 17th day of February, 1913, directing this notice, the undersigned invites and will receive at his office, in the City Hall, 575 West Broadway, near Glendale Avenue, up to 7:30 p. m. of Monday, the 3d day of March, 1913, sealed proposals or bids for the following street work to be done according to the specifications and plans adopted for the said work, on file, to-wit:

The work on Dryden and Campbell Streets described in Sections 1 and 2 of Resolution No. 512 of the City of Glendale, to which said Resolution reference is hereby made for a description of said work; specifications Nos. 11, 12, 14 and 16, referred to in said description, are on file in the office of the City Clerk, also posted near the chamber door of the Board of Trustees.

Sec. 2. That the said Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale finds, upon estimates directed to be furnished and furnished by the City Engineer of said City of Glendale, that the total cost of said proposed work of improvement will be greater than fifty (50) cents per front foot along each line of said street so proposed to be improved, as hereinbefore set forth, including the cost of intersection work assessable upon said frontage; and said Board of Trustees determines that serial bonds shall be issued to represent the cost of said work or improvement; said serial bonds shall be extended over a period ending nine (9) years from and after the second day of January next succeeding the date of said bonds, and an even annual proportion of the principal sum thereof shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January every year after their date until the whole is paid, and the interest shall be payable semi-annually by coupon on the second days of January and July respectively of each year, at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid, until the whole of said principal and interest are paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled "An Act to provide a system of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost of street work and improvement within municipalities, and also for the payment of such bonds," approved February 27th, 1893, and of all acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

Bidders must file with each proposal or bid a check payable to the order of the President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, certified by a responsible bank, for an amount which shall not be less than ten per cent of the aggregate of the proposal, or a bond for the said amount and so payable, signed by the bidder and two sureties, who shall justify before any officer competent to administer oaths, for double the said amount, and over and above all statutory exemptions. In bidding use blanks which will be furnished by the City Clerk upon application.

Glendale, Cal., 19th day of February, 1913.

G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, California.

NOTICE INVITING STREET WORK PROPOSALS.

Pursuant to Statute and to Resolution No. 553 of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, California, adopted the 17th day of February, 1913, directing this notice, the undersigned invites and will receive at his office, in the City Hall, 575 West Broadway, near Glendale Avenue, up to 7:30 p. m. of Monday, the 3d day of March, 1913, sealed proposals or bids for the following street work to be done according to the specifications and plans adopted for the said work, on file, to-wit:

The work on Central Avenue, described in Section 1 of Resolution No. 531 of the City of Glendale, to which said Resolution reference is hereby made for a description of said work; specifications Nos. 11, 12, 15 and 16, referred to in said description, are on file in the office of the City Clerk, also posted near the chamber door of the Board of Trustees.

Sec. 2. The Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale determines that serial bonds shall be issued to represent assessments of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) or over for the cost of said work or improvement; said serial bonds shall extend over a period ending nine (9) years from and after the second day of January next succeeding the date of said bonds, and an even annual proportion of the principal sum thereof shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January every year after their date until the whole is paid; and the interest shall be payable semi-annually, by coupon, on the second day of January and July, respectively, of each year, at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid, until the whole of said principal and interest are paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled "An Act to provide a system of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost of street work and improvement within municipalities, and also for the payment of such bonds," approved February 27, 1893, and of all acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof.

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The work on Doran Street described in Section 1 of Resolution No. 535 of the City of Glendale, to which said Resolution reference is hereby made for a description of said work; specifications Nos. 11, 12 and 14, referred to in said description, are on file in the office of the City Clerk, also posted near the chamber door of the Board of Trustees.

Sec. 2. The Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale determines that serial bonds shall be issued to represent assessments of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) or over for the cost of said work or improvement; said serial bonds shall extend over a period ending nine (9) years from and after the second day of January next succeeding the date of said bonds, and an even annual proportion of the principal sum thereof shall be payable by coupon on the second day of January every year after their date until the whole is paid; and the interest shall be payable semi-annually, by coupon, on the second day of January and July, respectively, of each year, at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid, until the whole of said principal and interest are paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California entitled "An Act to provide a system of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost of street work and improvement within municipalities, and also for the payment of such bonds," approved February 27, 1893, and of all acts supplementary thereto and amendatory thereof.

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Glendale, Cal., 19th day of February, 1913.

G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk and Ex-officio Clerk of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, California.

BIDS FOR FIRE HYDRANTS.

The undersigned will receive at his office in the Glendale City Hall up to Monday, the 3rd day of March, 1913, 7:30 p. m., bids for four and six-inch fire hydrants, one and two outlets respectively, in lots of twenty-five.

G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk of the City of Glendale.

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SUGGESTIVE QUESTIONS

On the Sunday School Lesson by Rev. Dr. Linscott For the International Press Bible Question Club.

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God's Covenant With Abraham. Gen. xv; xvii:1-8.

Golden Text—He is faithful that promised. Heb. x:23.

(1.) Verse 1—What do you consider was the nature of this vision and the kind of voice with which God spake?

(2.) Why is it not the privilege of every devout person to see and hear God?

(3.) What is the reason that we rarely hear in these days of people having visions and holding conversations with God?

(4.) Verses 2-4—What had God previously promised Abram concerning his posterity? (See Gen. xiii:15-16.)

(5.) When we have had a promise from God which is a long time in being fulfilled, and there seems no human possibility of it ever being done, is it sinful to doubt? Why?

(6.) In those days children were prayed for and regarded as a great blessing. Why is it not generally the same in these days?

(7.) Verses 5-6—When Abram was worrying because he could not harmonize God's promises with existing facts, God repeated his promises and made them more emphatic. What lesson may we learn from the incident?

(8.) Is belief of God a matter under our own control? Why or why not?

(9.) Why was it that Abram doubted at one moment and had such sublime faith the next?

(10.) Why is belief of God accounted to be such a righteous act, and unbelief to be so sinful?

(11.) Verses 7-11—How often may we expect God to really speak with us, taking Abram's experience as a precedent?

(12.) Would you say or not, and why, that God likes to have us ask for proof of his promises?

(13.) When Abram was asking for evidence, why did God tell him to offer up the sacrifice as here stated?

(14.) What influence has worship and sacrifice upon our doubts?

(15.) What are the sacrifices which God demands of us today?

(16.) Verses 12-21—Does God sometimes instruct us in our sleep or during other times when we may be unconscious of Him? Give your reasons.

(17.) How many years actually intervened, and what great events happened to Abram's seed, before they possessed the promised land?

(18.) Chap. xvii:1-8—When is a good man more likely to shine as a Christian—in youth, middle life or old age?

(19.) God commands us to be perfect; is such a commandment keepable or not, and why?

(20.) Why did God change Abram's name to Abraham?

(21.) What was God's covenant with Abraham, and how was it kept?

(22.) What is God's covenant with us and what assurance have we that it will be kept? (This is one of the questions which may be answered in writing by members of the club.)

Lesson for Sunday, March 9, 1913, The Destruction of Sodom. (Temperance Lesson.) Gen. xix:1-8, 12-29.

LIBRARY NOTES.

Through the courtesy of the W. C. T. U., the library has been given a year's subscription to "The Union Signal" and "Our Dumb Animals."

The following magazines will be found on the library shelves during the year, forming a very comprehensive line of references dealing with any subject:

American Boy, American Homes and Gardens, American Forestry, Arts and Decoration, Atlantic, Automobile, Bookman, Boston Cooking School Magazine, California Christian Advocate, California Cultivator, California Fruit Grower, Century, Christian Science Journal, Christian Science Sentinel, Colliers, Cosmopolitan, Craftsman, Current Events, Current Opinion, Delineator, Dial, Epworth Herald, Etude, Everybody's, Forest and Stream, Fra, Gospel Trumpet, Harper's, Independent, Ladies' Home Journal, Library Journal, Life and Health, Literary Digest, Little Folks, McClure's, Medical Freedom, Modern Priscilla, Mother's Magazine, Nation, Opportunity, Outlook, Out West, Pacific Poultrycraft, Physical Culture, Popular Electricity, Popular Mechanics, Review of Reviews, Rural Californian, St. Nicholas, Saturday Evening Post, Scientific American, Scribners, Sunset, Table Talk, Travel, Western Empire, Woman's Bulletin, Woman's Home Companion, World's Work, Youth's Companion.

A row of rose shrubbery is being planted out along Sherman Way on both sides from Eighth street, Van Nuys, through to Owensmouth and beyond to the county highway. It is fourteen miles in the distance, making twenty-eight lineal miles of shrubbery, or about 30,000 plants. C. B. Hewitt is doing the job.—Owensmouth Gazette.

HURMAY GLYCERINE SOAP IS THE BIGGEST SOAP VALUE EVER OFFERED IN GLENDALE. TWO ODORS, ROSE AND VIOLET. GET IT AT NESOM'S.

STILL APPLIES.

In view of the desire of a portion of the Democratic party to give up the Philippines, the following poem is republished from the Los Angeles Times of 1900:

"HAUL DOWN THE FLAG!"

"Haul down the flag; leave the Philippine Islands to themselves."—Anti-expansion speech.

Aye, haul it down, if 'neath its folds
The words of foolishness give vent
To little minds, where treason holds
Full sway o'er its environment.
Haul down the flag, if you must prate
Within its hallowed sphere, of wrong
Your morbid fancies but create;
And when created still prolong.

Oh, little men of puny brain,
Who ape the wisdom of the great,
That flag shall float without a stain
Where planted by the imperial state.
Shall be to feeble men the hope
That they may find beneath its fold,
For all their powers a wider scope
Than now their jungled islands hold.

The railings of the jaundiced mind
That speaketh with the slanderous tongue,
Pass by us as the idle wind,
The Pillars of the Strong among.
When, borne by trend of circumstance
Upon the lofty wave that flings
Aside all bars to its advance,
The world sweeps on to higher things.

Sweeps on o'er seas where poet's dream
Had scarcely dared to paint a glow
Above the darkness, where the gleam
Of bannered stars shall serve to show
That not in vain did Lawton die,
Nor those brave souls that with him went,
To place a new star in the sky,
To flame above the Orient.

Aye—haul it down!—a million hands
Shall be stretched forth to raise again
That banner o'er the darkened lands,
Where mankind yet are scarcely men,
Shall give to them the hope that cheers,
An outlet to the rising sun,
The brightest heritage the years
Have brought them since their race begun.

Let small men shout with lungs of brass
And tongues that utter idle things;
Let them have play, they pass, they pass;
While strong men work and nature sings.
And out and onward o'er the sea
Of Human Progress, big with fate,
The blazing star of destiny
Lights and leads on the Ship of State.

J. C. SHERER.

MOODY BIBLE INSTITUTE.

There were 1659 men and women enrolled as students in the Moody Bible Institute in its various departments during this year. They represented 25 different evangelical denominations, 39 states of the Union and 13 foreign countries.

The annual report shows that 676 open-air meetings were conducted; 2204 mission, factory and children's meetings were held; 2966 Sunday school and Bible classes were taught; 13,124 visits to lodging houses, hospitals and homes were made; while of the 36,036 persons spoken to, over 4000 professed conversion. One gospel tent and three gospel wagons were kept busy throughout the summer in evangelistic effort.

Over 576 have gone out as missionaries to more than 25 foreign countries, some dying martyr's deaths. Many more have gone out as pastors, assistant pastors, evangelists, Bible teachers, home missionaries, Sunday school and mission workers, instructors in Christian colleges, etc.

There is a constant demand for trained workers. Five of the students have been accepted by the mission boards, four for British East Africa and one for India.

No tuition is charged, except for private lessons in music. Full particulars can be had upon inquiry.

SPECIAL UNIVERSITY TRAIN TO AID ORANGE GROWERS.

The department of agriculture of the University of California now has a special train of experts traveling over the citrus fruit producing sections of Southern California. It stops at three or four places daily, being open to the public for two or three hours in each place visited. The question of prevention of frost damage, fertilization, the distinguishing of frozen from undamaged fruit and other matters of interest to the growers are discussed, demonstrations given and in a general way an effort is being made to benefit the growers of oranges and lemons. A practical way of distinguishing frozen from good fruit is demonstrated. This consists in putting into a bath of wood alcohol and water the fruit to be tested. The good fruit sinks, the other swims. The test cannot be relied upon until a month after the lemons have been frozen and two months afterwards in the case of oranges. It is stated that the frozen fruit is perfectly harmless and that the manufacture of any by-product from it is not practicable. It is advised to cut back the frozen wood on the trees until healthy wood is reached.

The train was at San Fernando last Tuesday.

Charter Meeting at Intermediate School

The joint debate on the proposed charter, held at the intermediate school house Thursday evening of last week, did not draw as well as might have been expected, only about 100 persons being present. President Willisford of the Improvement Association presided. Mr. F. L. Muhleman had the opening argument. Mr. Muhleman having been chairman of the charter committee, proved to be well informed as to his subject. He spoke of the movement throughout the country for reform in municipal methods of government; stated the benefits to be derived from the new instrument as follows: Enabling the city to have lots cleared of weeds and rubbish; providing for joint ownership of water; the establishment of civil service; the right of the city to govern by laws adapted to local conditions; granting referendum to control acts of officials; making the mayor responsible. He declared that the forty per cent requirement on a recall petition was none too much; fifty per cent is required for an election, and it should be understood that this is not forty per cent of the voters but only forty per cent of the vote cast at the previous election. In addition to the above he called attention to the new system of voting by which one election is saved, the nomination and election taking place at the same time.

Mr. Edward L. Payne led off for the negative. He did not believe in the short ballot. Thought that power placed in the hands of a few individuals in the state was all right, but not in small cities where the people know one another. He objected to forty year franchise provision. Did not believe people are protected sufficiently by the referendum as an ordinance would go into effect within fifteen days after passage and that does not give time enough for people to act.

Mr. Payne stated that under general law the city can only levy a tax of 75 cents on the $100, but the proposed charter raises this to $1.00, putting too much power for taxation in the hands of the trustees.

Mr. Lampert followed. He first corrected Mr. Payne's statement as to limitation of the general law as to the tax rate; it is not 75 cents but $1.00 precisely the same as the proposed charter. The general law is too general; why should Glendale be confined to the same legal restrictions as Watts or some other town? We want special laws for local conditions. Not one right or privilege will be lost if the charter is adopted and several will be gained. He summed up the principal objections as "the three forties." The state law has the forty-year maximum for franchises, therefore the proposed law merely leaves this matter unchanged. As to the forty per cent requirement on a recall petition, at the last election there were 1358 votes cast, a recall petition at the present time would therefore require only 543 names, why should such proceedings be initiated on a less respectable showing of votes? The referendum requires only 15 per cent or 200 votes.

Col. Tom Thornton was the last speaker. He had so many objections to the charter that he did not know which one to state first. He could only see one thing in it that gave new and desirable power and that was the proposition which enabled the city authorities to get after the weeds. He objected to clothing a mayor with so much authority—why if it became desirable for the city attorney to take action against a railroad company, for instance, it could not be done unless the mayor ordered it! Four years is too long a term for a mayor anyhow. That officer he finds has the appointment of nineteen officials of the city. And then that two-year residence requirement, why we have some of the smartest men in the country on the West Side who have come there within two years must they be debarred from office on that account? Can the mayor choose better than you, the people? Put a mayor in for four years and he will stay there for life! This town is all right, can't you let it alone? Give the ladies a show; they ought to have two-fifths of the offices anyhow!

After Col. Thornton closed the affirmative had five minutes in which to close, Mr. Lampert taking up the time in replying to the last speaker. A few minutes were then devoted to asking and answering questions which gave all four of the speakers something to do.

PEOPLE'S CONCERT.

Last Sunday's concert at the Auditorium theater contained many interesting numbers. The solo by Mrs. Marie B. Tiffany was well received. Mrs. Tiffany substituted on the program for Mrs. Norma Rockhold-Robbins whose music did not arrive in time for rehearsals with the orchestra.

The change in prices will go into effect next Sunday. Seats will be priced from fifteen to fifty cents.

Mr. and Mrs. Boss of Huntington Park were guests Sunday of Mr. and Mrs. C. A. Redmond of 1431 West Fifth street.

Mr. and Mrs. Hitchcock and Mr. and Mrs. G. R. Allen enjoyed a very pleasant motor trip to Redlands on Sunday.

A dance will be given by Miradero Lodge, Knights of Pythias, at their hall on Brand boulevard, Friday evening, February 28th, to which all are cordially invited. Admission fifty cents a couple.

We have received proof pages of an article to appear in "Smart Set" for March by Willard Huntington Wright entitled "Los Angeles—the Chemically Pure," which dissects the Angel City in a manner that we never saw equalled. Here is a quotation which indicates the style in which it is done:

"The subtleties of class distinction do not fret or impress the native. And the stranger is soon weaned from his disdain. Once he has attended a reception and there met a tailor, the owner of a barber shop, a brace of actors, a piano tuner, a palmist and Emma Goldman, the democratic idea begins to get under his hide, and he finds himself at length contentedly boiling in the social melting pot."

THE MISSION PLAY AT SAN GABRIEL.

This play is all that has been claimed for it and more. It is of immense value as an educative influence, portraying as it does the history of the missions in a manner more effective than can be told in print or by word of mouth alone. It is a work of art in every feature and the spirit of sacrifice and religious fervor that is always in evidence, gives to it unique power for moral uplift. An educative adjunct of great value is the arrangement outside the playhouse but within the enclosure of a miniature king's highway lined with the miniature facsimiles of all the missions from San Diego to Sonoma, in chronological arrangement that enables one to understand the tremendous work accomplished by Father Junipero Serra in his years of service in California. The story ranges from 1769 to 1847; the last sad act setting forth the story of the passing of the missions by reason of the triumph of worldly power over spiritual.

SAN FERNANDO CELEBRATION.

The celebration of the arrival of aqueduct water at the great reservoir will be celebrated by the Chamber of Commerce of Los Angeles at San Fernando on Tuesday, May 13th. The citizens of San Fernando will provide the biggest barbecue that has ever been given in Southern California. They state that they will be prepared to feed 100,000.

ORDINANCE NO. 190.

AN ORDINANCE CALLING A SPECIAL ELECTION TO VOTE ON A PROPOSED CHARTER FOR THE CITY OF GLENDALE.

The Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale do ordain as follows:

SECTION 1. That a special election of the qualified electors of the City of Glendale is hereby called to be held on the 18th day of March, 1913, to vote for or against a proposed charter for the City of Glendale, proposed and prepared by a board of fifteen freeholders elected by the qualified voters of the City of Glendale on the 20th day of September, 1912.

SECTION 2. For the purposes of said election said City is divided into four municipal election precincts and the same are hereby established and described as follows:

Election Precinct No. 1 shall embrace all that portion of the City of Glendale lying north of Broadway and east of Louise Street;

Election Precinct No. 2 shall embrace all that portion of the City of Glendale lying north of Broadway and west of Louise Street;

Election Precinct No. 3 shall embrace all that portion of the City of Glendale lying south of Broadway and east of Louise Street;

Election Precinct No. 4 shall embrace all that portion of the City of Glendale lying south of Broadway and east of Louise Street.

The polling place in each of said Election Precincts is hereby located as follows, and the Board of Election in each of said precincts for such special election are hereby appointed as follows:

ELECTION PRECINCT NO. 1.

Polling Place—Tent located on Fire House Lot, Glendale Avenue, between Third and Broadway.

Inspectors—A. D. McCoy, L. D. Triol.

Judges—Sam Fisk, B. H. Nichols.

Clerks—Mrs. Hattie Gaylord, Miss Ruth Byram.

ELECTION PRECINCT NO. 2.

Polling Place—Tent northwest corner of First and Brand Boulevard.

Inspectors—E. M. Witt, Mrs. F. L. Church.

Judges—John R. White, Jr., O. Spencer.

Clerks—M. L. Watson, Mrs. C. E. Hutchinson.

ELECTION PRECINCT NO. 3.

Polling Place—Tent northeast corner of Lomita and Brand Boulevard.

Inspectors—C. J. Wolfe, Mrs. Henry Henning.

Judges—W. H. Nisbet, Mr. Fred S. Thomas.

Clerks—Mrs. Frank Dorsey, Mrs. Joseph Kirkby.

ELECTION PRECINCT NO. 4.

Polling Place—Northeast corner of Sixth and Glendale Avenue.

Inspectors—M. L. Frisbie, Wilmot Parcher.

Judges—J. L. Denney, W. W. McElroy.

Clerks—C. Berger, H. A. Goodwin.

The above named persons are hereby appointed to such offices respectively, and their compensation shall be three dollars each for all services.

SECTION 3. That in all particulars not recited in this Ordinance such election shall be held as provided by law for holding municipal elections in said City.

SECTION 4. The polls must be opened at six o'clock of the morning of the day of the election, and must be kept open until six o'clock of the evening of the same day, when the polls shall be closed.

SECTION 5. The City Clerk shall cause to be printed on plain, white paper, without water-mark, at least as many copies of the form of the ballot provided for use in such election precinct as there shall be registered voters in such precinct. Such copies shall be designated "Sample Ballot" on the face thereof, and shall commence to be sent by mail, postage prepaid, to the registered voters by said City Clerk ten days before the day fixed by law for such election, and shall have all of them mailed at least five whole days before the day of election, provided that not more than one sample ballot shall be furnished to one voter.

The City Clerk shall cause to be printed in large, clear type on cards, instructions for the guidance of electors in obtaining and marking their ballots. He shall furnish twelve such cards to the Board of Election in each election precict in said city at the same time and in the same manner as the printed ballot and sample ballot. The Board of Election shall post at least one of such cards in each booth or compartment prepared for the preparation of ballots, and not less than three of such cards at and about such places on the day of election. Sections 1214 and 1215 of the Political Code and Section 51 of the Penal Code shall be printed on each of said cards.

The ballots to be used at said election shall be printed in the following form:

INSTRUCTIONS TO VOTERS.

To vote for the proposed charter, stamp a X in the voting square to the right and opposite the word "Yes" in the first proposition.

To vote against the proposed charter, stamp a X in the voting square to the right and opposite the word "No" in the first proposition.

To vote for either of the alternative propositions, stamp a X in the voting square to the right of and opposite the word "Yes" in such proposition.

Vote for only one alternative proposition.

ALL MARKS EXCEPT THE X ARE FORBIDDEN.

ALL DISTINGUISHING MARKS OR ERASURES are forbidden and make the ballot void.

IF YOU WRONGLY STAMP, TEAR OR DEFACE this ballot, return it to the Inspector of Election and obtain another.

First Proposition: Shall the proposed charter be adopted?	Yes No	
Second Proposition: Shall the alternative proposition providing for the election of councilmen from the city at large, be adopted?	Yes	
Third Proposition: Shall the alternative proposition providing for ward resisdnce as a qualification for office of councilmen, be adopted?	Yes	

All those voters who shall stamp a X after the printed word "Yes" opposite the first proposition shall be understood as voting in favor of adopting the proposed charter, and all those voters who shall stamp a X after the printed word "No" opposite the first proposition shall be understood as voting against adopting the proposed charter.

All those voters who shall stamp a X after the printed word "Yes" opposite the second proposition shall be understood as voting in favor of the alternative proposition providing for the election of the councilmen from the City at large.

All those voters who shall stamp a X after the printed word "Yes" after the third proposition shall be understood as voting in favor of the alternative proposition providing for ward residence as a qualification for the office of councilmen.

Said election shall be held and conducted, the returns thereof canvassed and the result thereof declared by the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale in the manner that is now provided by law for such general elections and in the manner provided for the holding of general municipal elections insofar as the same may be applicable thereto.

SECTION 4. The City Clerk shall certify to the passage of this Ordinance and cause the same to be published once a week for two successive weeks in the Glendale News, a weekly newspaper printed and published and circulated in the said City of Glendale, and thereupon and thereafter it shall take effect and be in full force.

Adopted and approved this 24th day of February, 1913.

T. W. WATSON,
President of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale.

Attest:
G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk of the City of Glendale.

STATE OF CALIFORNIA,)
COUNTY OF LOS ANGELES,)ss.
CITY OF GLENDALE,)

I, G. B. Woodberry, City Clerk of the City of Glendale, do hereby certify that the whole number of members of the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale is five, and that the foregoing Ordinance was passed and adopted by a vote of two-thirds of all its members and approved by the President of said Board at a regular meeting thereof held on the 24th day of February, 1913, and that the same was passed by the following vote, to-wit:

Ayes: Coker, Tower, Thompson, Watson.

Noes: None.

Absent: Lane.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the seal of the City of Glendale this 24th day of February, 1913.

G. B. WOODBERRY,
City Clerk of the City of Glendale.

NOTICE OF STREET WORK.

Public notice is hereby given, that the Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale, on the 10th day of February, 1913, did, at its meeting on said day, adopt a Resolution of Intention, No. 552, to order the following improvement to be made, to-wit:

First. That Riverdale Drive from the west line of Central Avenue to the easterly line of San Fernando Road, including all intersections of streets, be graded, oiled and macadamized in accordance with plans and profiles on file in the office of the City Engineer of the City of Glendale, and specifications for the grading, oiling and macadamizing of streets in the City of Glendale, on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Glendale, said specifications being numbered 15, excepting that the macadam called for in Section 4 thereof shall be spread to a thickness of three and one-half inches upon the center 20 feet, instead of a thickness of five inches, and that said macadam shall graduate uniformly to a thickness of two inches at the curb line instead of a thickness of two and one-half inches as called for in said specifications.

Second. That a cement curb be constructed along both lines of the roadway of said Riverdale Drive from the east line of Columbus Avenue to the easterly line of San Fernando Road, including returns at all street intersections, excepting along such portions of the roadway of said Riverdale Drive along which a cement curb has already been constructed to the official line and grade. Said curb to be constructed in accordance with Specifications No. 12 Class "B" for the construction of cement curbs on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Glendale.

Third. That a cement walk five (5) feet in width be constructed along each side of said Riverdale Drive from the east line of Columbus Avenue to the easterly line of San Fernando Road, including returns at all street intersections, excepting along such portions of said Riverdale Drive upon which a cement sidewalk five (5) feet or more in width has already been constructed to the official line and grade, said sidewalk to be constructed in accordance with specifications for the construction of cement sidewalks, on file in the office of the City Clerk of the City of Glendale, said specifications being numbered 11.

Sec. 2. The Board of Trustees of the City of Glendale determines that serial bonds shall be issued to represent assessments of twenty-five dollars ($25.00) or over for the cost of said work or improvement; said serial bonds shall extend over a period ending nine (9) years from and after the second day of January next succeeding the date of said bonds, and an even annual proportion of the principal sum thereof shall be payable, by coupon, on the second day of January every year after their date until the whole is paid; and the interest shall be payable semi-annually, by coupon, on the second days of January and July, respectively, of each year, at the rate of seven (7) per cent per annum on all sums unpaid, until the whole of said principal and interest are paid. Said bonds shall be issued in accordance with the provisions of an Act of the Legislature of the State of California, entitled "An Act to provide a system of street improvement bonds to represent certain assessments for the cost of street work and improvement within municipalities, and also for the payment of such bonds," approved February 27, 1893, and of all acts supplementary thereto or amendatory thereof.

Reference is hereby made to said Resolution No. 552 for further particulars of said work

O. W. TARR,
Street Superintendent of the City of Glendale.

NOTICE OF FORECLOSURE SALE.

Order of Sale and Decree of Foreclosure and Sale.

Sheriff's Sale. No. 97558.

F. H. Ellers, plaintiff, vs. Scott W. Johnson and Gertrude Johnson, husband and wife, John Doe and Jane Doe, defendants.

Under and by virtue of an order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, issued out of the Superior Court of the County of Los Angeles, of the State of California, on the 4th day of February, A. D., 1913, in the above entitled action, wherein F. H. Ellers, the above named plaintiff, obtained a judgment and decree of foreclosure and sale against Scott W. Johnson and Gertrude Joanson, husband and wife, et al., defendants, on the 21st day of January, A. D., 1913, for the sum of twenty-four hundred and fifty-three and 18-100 ($2453.18) dollars, gold coin of United States, which said decree was, on the 22d day of January, A. D., 1913, recorded in Judgment Book 250 of said Court, at page 107, I am commanded to sell all that certain lot, piece or parcel of land situate, lying and being in the City of Glendale, County of Los Angeles, State of California, and bounded and described as follows:

Being the Northerly five (5) feet of Lot Twelve (12) and all of Lots Ten (10) and Eleven (11) and the Southerly seventy-five (75) feet of Lots, Seven (7), Eight (8) and Nine (9) of Eilers Tract as recorded in Book of Maps, Vol. 10, page 183, Records of Los Angeles County, the same being a part of Lot Ten (10) in Block Eight (8) of the Byram, Patterson and Miller subdivision of Lots One (1), two (2), Seven (7), Eight (8), Twelve (12), Thirteen (13), Seventeen (17) and Eighteen (18) of the Childs Tract in the Rancho San Rafael, Los Angeles County, State of California. Together with all and singular the tenements, hereditaments and appurtenances thereunto belonging, or in anywise appertaining.

Public Notice is hereby given, that on Monday, the 3d day of March, A. D., 1913, at 12:00 o'clock m. of that day, in front of the Court House door of the County of Los Angeles, Broadway entrance, I will, in obedience to said order of sale and decree of foreclosure and sale, sell the above described property, or so much thereof as may be necessary to satisfy said judgment, with interest and costs, etc., to the highest and best bidder, for cash, gold coin of the United States.

Dated this 6th day of February, 1913.

W. A. HAMMEL,
Sheriff of Los Angeles County.
By W. T. Osterholt, Deputy Sheriff.

FRANK L. MUHLEMAN,
C. AZRA WILLIAMS,
Plaintiff's Attorneys.

CERTIFICATE.

Business Under Fictitious Name.

We, the undersigned, hereby certify that we are conducting business (transfer) at No. 341 Brand Boulevard, Glendale, County of Los Angeles, State of California, under the firm name of Richardson Transfer, and that said firm is composed of the following named persons:

O. S. Richardson, whose address is 315 S. Louise St., Glendale, California.

F. A. Richardson, whose address is 129 N. Kenwood St., Glendale, California.

Witness our hands this 13th day of February, 1913, at Glendale, California.

O. S. RICHARDSON.
F. A. RICHARDSON.

State of California,
County of Los Angeles—ss.

On this 13th day of February, in the year one thousand, nine hundred and thirteen A. D., before me, J. C. Sherer, a Notary Public in and for said county, residing therein, duly commissioned and sworn, personally appeared O. S. Richardson and F. A. Richardson, personally known to me to be the persons whose names are subscribed to the within instrument, and acknowledged to me that they executed the same.

In witness whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed my official seal the day and year in this certificate first above written.

(Seal) J. C. SHERER,
Notary Public in and for the County of Los Angeles, State of California. 4t43

The Bank of Glendale

Four Hundred Dollars in ten dollar bills wrapped in a roll were burned in a fire which destroyed the house of G. E. Weller, No. 5936 Bonsallo St., last night.—L. A. Times, Wednesday.

Won't that man hunt a bank when he gets another roll of four hundred?

BUSINESS LOCALS

For Sale, Rent and Exchange

FOR SALE—Two cheap lots for sale on Stanley avenue, 50x138. See J. C. Sherer, NEWS office. tf

FOR SALE—Oat hay, $21 to $23 per ton. Thomas Story, Burbank. Phone 42 R 1. tf-42

FOR RENT—First-class rooms with board. Excellent table; furnace heat. 900 Lomita avenue. Sunset 519-R. 4w-43

TO LET—In the Country Club house on Brand boulevard and Third street, rooms for offices. Also for a first-class cafe for which it is admirably adapted. F. W. Pigg. tf-44

FOR SALE OR EXCHANGE—Ten acres near Burbank. Will exchange equity on liberal terms for clear lots. Also will sell good lot close in, good location wtih California house. Owner, 809 W. Seventh St. Sunset phone 4793.

FOR SALE—Expert Japanese nurseryman wants to sell Yoshino Botan Shikiyama, beautiful cherry blossom trees of Japanese fame, an artistic ornament, 4 to 6 ft. high, 60c; 3 to 4 ft. high, 40c; under 3 ft. high, 30c. Telephone Sunset Glendale 139, party M. 4w-44x

FOR SALE — This week, a few pieces of choice furniture, including dining table and six chairs, large china cabinet, leather lounge, "Hoosier" kitchen cabinet, etc. Call 238 S. Central avenue.

FOR RENT—Three-room house, furnished or unfurnished; bath and toilet. 916 W. Second street. x

FOR SALE—Entire furniture of a five-room bungalow. In excellent condition; also house for rent. 1463 W. Third street. Call 250-M.

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Lost and Found

LOST—A pair of gold-rimmed spectacles, mended. Lost on Wednesday last, February 19th. Finder please return to "News" office.

Miscellaneous

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Per order of the Board of Directors.
2w-44 E. A. BRIGHAM, Secretary.

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STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.
Verdugo Pipe & Reservoir Co.
Notice is hereby given that the annual meeting of the stockholders of the Verdugo Pipe & Reservoir Co. will be held Monday evening, April 7, 1913, at 8 o'clock, at the building belonging to A. S. Dodge in the rear of No. 409 Verdugo Road, Glendale, Cal. The election of a board of directors and other important business will be transacted. If you cannot be present, please send in proxy.
J. C. SHERER, Pres.
C. E. PARKER, Secy.

DISSOLUTION OF PARTNERSHIP.
Notice is hereby given that the partnership existing between W. A. Wright and C. H. Pumphrey, doing business under the name of Glendale Paint and Paper Co., 419 Brand boulevard, Glendale, Cal., has this day dissolved by mutual consent, W. A. Wright retiring from the firm. C. H. Pumphrey will continue the business as heretofore, assume all obligations and collect all outstanding accounts.
W. A. WRIGHT.
C. H. PUMPHREY.

CENTRAL STABLES.
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REAL ESTATE EXCHANGE.
H. A. Wilson has opened a real estate exchange office in the Central Block, 1111 West Broadway, where he makes a specialty of negotiating exchanges of realty. Sunset 162. Home 761. 34tf

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Mrs. Leon H. Hurtt of West Third street was among those present at the Washington birthday luncheon given by Eschscholtzia chapter of the Daughters of the American Revolution. The luncheon was given at Hollywood hotel, where covers were arranged for sixty-five guests. Decorations were most artistic, consisting of an arrangement of patriotic emblems and Princess violets with ferns. Many prominent D. A. R.'s were present from Eastern states.

Followed Instructions.
A Kansas City woman recently took her two small daughters to make their first visit to her husband's people, living in a small Kansas town. Naturally she was anxious to make as favorable an impression as possible. So the two little people on going on an errand to the depot were cautioned to be on their very best behavior. To the mother's surprise, they returned vigorously chewing gum. As they had no money, she asked them where they got it.
"Oh," explained the older one, "it said on the slot machine, 'Ask the agent for pennies,' so we did."—Kansas City Star.

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The Thing He Remembered.
A young girl of romantic disposition sat at dinner next to a man who had once rowed on one of Cornell's greatest crews. She tried to draw him out on the subject of racing and of the particular contest in which he had captained the crew in his senior year. "I suppose," she said, "that your most vivid recollection of that race is of the cheers of the crowd as you came across the finish line?" He shook his head. "Maybe it was the start which burned itself on your memory; the recollection of the tenseness of the wait before you heard the starter's pistol?" Again he shook his head. "What is the thing in connection with the race that you remember most distinctly?" "Well," said the oarsman slowly, "when any one talks about that race it always brings one recollection, one picture, a very vivid one, to my mind right away." "What is that?" asked the girl eagerly. "The man who rowed No. 4, who sat just in front of me, had a mole exactly midway between his shoulder blades."—New York Tribune.

What You Eat In Apples.
Do you know what you are eating when you eat an apple? No, not the sorts and varieties of worms, for there will be no worms if you have bought your fruit from an orchardist who sprays his trees. You are eating malic acid, the property that makes buttermilk so healthful. You are eating gallic acid, one of the most necessary elements in human economy. You are eating sugar in the most assimilable form, combined carbon, hydrogen and oxygen caught and imprisoned from the sunshine. You are eating albumen in its most available state. You are eating a gum allied to the "fragrant medicinal gums of Araby." You are eating phosphorus in the only form in which it is available as a source of all brain and nerve energy. In addition to all these, you are drinking the purest water and eating the most healthful and desirable fiber for the required "roughness" in food elements.—National Horticulturist.

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"Pearl" Oil in bulk, 5 gallons	54c
"Apex" Peas, per can	11c
Arm & Hammer Soda, lb.	7c
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Mrs. Charles Homer Temple of Orange street was hostess of an informal "At Home" given on Wednesday afternoon in honor of Mrs. Charles Evans who recently returned from a five months' sojourn in eastern and southern states. Decorations were quaintly formed of Washington birthday emblems, while cut flowers added to the artistic effect. Refreshments typical of the occasion were served and tiny silk flags made clever favors. Twenty of Mrs. Evans' friends were gathered to greet her.

Social and Personal

Something About People You Know

Mrs. Fred W. Browning of 129 Kenwood street spent the past week visiting Long Beach friends.

Mrs. C. W. McFadden of Seventh street entertained the members of the XVI club at her home on Saturday.

Miss Hazel Wheatley was a week-end house guest at the home of Miss Myrtle and Miss Emma Pullam of Kenwood street.

Mrs. J. Joseph, of 644 Lincoln avenue, who has been seriously ill for some days past, though still confined to her bed, is much better.

Miss Atala Browning of 129 Kenwood street was a house guest during the week at the home of Miss Edith Holten of Long Beach.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Beamon of Maryland avenue were among the Glendale people who attended the Shrine ball on Wednesday evening.

Mr. and Mrs. John Hunchberger of Central avenue were Sunday guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. Frank F. Truscott of Eagle Rock.

Miss Edith Adele Howe of Burchette street was hostess of a pretty afternoon party on Tuesday, given in honor of her first birthday anniversary.

Mrs. M. E. Brown of Santa Barbara was a house guest on Thursday and Friday at the home of Professor and Mrs. Harry Howe of Burchette street.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Beamon of Maryland avenue were among the members of a party which attended the Mission Play at San Gabriel on Saturday.

Mr. and Mrs. J. A. McConnell of Frankfort, Indiana, were luncheon guests on Tuesday at the residence of Mrs. Mary Howard Gridley, 205 North Brand boulevard.

Miss Anna Thomas, of 1414 W. Broadway, is opening a parlor millinery at her home and will welcome all who call at her opening, Monday, March 3d.

Mrs. Lena Mackay Jack and Miss Adalene Jack of Los Angeles were luncheon guests on Tuesday at the home of Dr. Jessie A. Russell on Maryland avenue.

Mr. and Mrs. Fred Thomas of 1414 West Broadway entertained at dinner on Saturday evening. Covers were arranged for thirty guests, all of whom were members of the Thomas family.

Mrs. A. C. Furman, Miss Matilda, and Miss Rosetta Furman and Mr. Elbert Walwrach of Augusta, Montana, are house guests at the home of Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Beach of 331 Brand boulevard.

Mr. and Mrs. E. U. Emery of Kenwood street were host and hostess of a week-end dinner party given in honor of Mr. Willis Lusby of Topeka, Kansas. Covers were arranged for sixteen guests.

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The undenominational Bible study will be conducted next Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock in K. of P. hall, by S. H. Toutjian. Subject: "Condition of the Dead." All interested in Bible study cordially invited.

Mr. and Mrs. James Parsons and Miss Catherine Parsons who have been spending the winter in Glendale as guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. A. Moyse of 910 West Fifth street, left on Monday for their home in Elkhorn, Wis.

Mr. and Mrs. C. W. McFadden of Seventh street weer host and hostess of an attractive Washington's birthday dinner party on Saturday evening. Guests were Mr. and Mrs. Warren Roberts and Professor and Mrs. A. W. Tower.

Miss Ruth Byram of Glendale avenue will address the members of Chapter A H. P. E. O., of Tropico, on Friday at an all-day meeting. Miss Byram will describe her Alaskan trip, illustrating her description with photographs. Mrs. John Hunchberger of Central avenue will also be a guest of the day.

Mrs. Robert McIntosh and Miss George Duffet of 1008 Chestnut street were hostesses of a prettily arranged week-end dinner party given in honor of the birthday anniversaries of their father, Mr. George Duffet, and their grandmother, Mrs. M. S. Gibbs. Princess violets and ferns were used in an attractive manner.

The Sunday school service next Sunday morning at the First Congregational church will be conducted by the girls. It will be called girls' day and they will have full charge of the service. There will be special music and a full attendance is urgently desired.

Mrs. Frederick Baker of the civics committee and Mrs. L. W. Sinclair of the philanthropy committee represented the Tuesday Afternoon Club on Tuesday at the reciprocity luncheon given by the Highland Park Ebell club when they dedicated the handsome new club house which they will occupy in the future. Mrs. Andrew Lobinger gave an address on civics and Mrs. E. K. Foster spoke on philanthropy.

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TROPICO

Born to Mr. and Mrs. Clyde L. Thedaker of 238 El Bonita avenue, Tuesday, February 4, a girl. Both mother and child doing well.

After enjoying a visit of several weeks in the northern part of this state, Mrs. E. W. Richardson has again returned to this place.

Misses Julia and Gladys Goodsell have been in Pasadena for the past several days, where they have been guests of Mr. and Mrs. Tagg, grandparents of Miss Gladys.

A tailoring and dye shop has been opened at 108 San Fernando road by B. Goldberg, recently of Los Angeles. This is the first tailor establishment ever opened in this city.

After an enjoyable visit of several days with Mr. and Mrs. Charles H. Philips, of San Fernando road, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Winton have returned to their home in Orange, Cal.

The body of Mrs. Ashton of Park avenue, who died at her home of cancer, was buried on Monday of last week from the home, interment being made at Forest Lawn cemetery.

The Presbyterian church of this place has just been given its "spring cleaning." The interior has been beautified by the woodwork being repainted and the walls and ceilings painted.

"Nix on the barbed wire," state the local trustees. They want nothing like that in this city and in order to put emphasis to their wishes they have placed a fine of $50 or 25 days in the county jail for the violation of the ordinance to this effect passed recently.

R. H. Ryland of Los Angeles, while trying to pass through this city recently at a rate of something better than 35 miles an hour, was "pinched" by Marshal Gould and trimmed to the tune of $10 for speeding. There is some class to "Bill, the marshal," as an anti-speed king.

E. L. Young, the ever spry and laughing stovemaker and repairer of this city, has demonstrated that he is just a little ahead of his fellow merchants in Tropico by having erected at his place of business an electric sign. The sign was installed by A. J. Prues, the electrician of Tropico.

Last Saturday evening Mrs. H. W. Myers, living at 333 Central avenue, fell at her home and dislocated her shoulder. On account of her advanced age, she being about 70 years of age, Mrs. Myers suffered unusually with the injured shoulder. She expects to be around the house again soon.

Rev. A. B. Morrison, formerly pastor of the West Glendale Methodist church, will soon start construction work on a new Methodist church in the Atwater tract, formerly a part of the Richardson estate. It is rumored that when this edifice is erected the pulpit will be occupied by Rev. Morrison.

A Washington-Lincoln memorial service was held by N. P. Banks Post No. 170 and N. P. Banks Corps No. 67, in the G. A. R. hall on Glendale avenue last Sunday afternoon. A program consisting of music, prayer, speeches and eulogies was given by comrades and ladies. The affair was well attended, considering the rainy weather.

A visit of seven months in the eastern states has just been terminated by Miss Emily Ellais of this place. During her absence she passed some time in Boston, New York, Philadelphia and other popular eastern cities. She was guest for several months of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Gascoign of Evanston, Ill., where she attended the Northwestern university for several months.

In honor of Mrs. Edward M. Lynch a dinner party was given recently by Mrs. J. H. Webster at her home on Park avenue, the affair being the occasion of Mrs. Lynch's birthday anniversary. The guests present were Mr. and Mrs. Edward Lynch, Mr. and Mrs. E. J. Morgan, Mr. and Mrs. William Wattles, Dr. and Mrs. Maybre.

For the coming fire bond election the following officials have been chosen: Precinct No. 1, with voting place at the G.A.R. hall—Frank E. Peters, Mrs. Lillie D. Howe, Charles H. Muhleman, Andrew R. Ballantyne, William B. Pratt and Donald S. Erskine. Precinct No. 2, with voting place at city hall—Mrs. Lou A. Gregory, Wesley H. Bullis, N. C. Burch, Wayne V. Frank, William W. Dutton and Mrs. Orlie Wilkinson. The fee of the judges is to be $4 each for the election.

A number of the residents of Tropico have complained to the trustees of this city that for several months past they have been trying to get the Pacific Light & Power company to install lights in their homes, but up to this time their efforts have been fruitless. From time to time the electric lighting company states that the lights will be installed "in the very near future," but these promises have been frequent and unfruitful that local residents will believe the story when they see the "glim." City Clerk Street has been instructed to confer with the lighting company in regard to this matter and to see what can be done in the way of bringing the company to "time."

Opening day at the Pacific Home Building Corporation's Angelus tract was held last Saturday. At this time a bountiful barbecue was served. The "eatins" were dispensed around the tables and benches at the rest of the tract office near the Richardson station on the Pacific Electric line. The affair Saturday was attended by about two hundred people. The barbecue was scheduled from 11 to 2 o'clock, but owing to some unforeseen trouble the "hand outs" were not started until after the noon hour. Another of the barbecues and "opening days" was scheduled for the following (Sunday) but on account of the glorious rain, which started about noon Sunday, the affair was not held. Probably it was postponed until some future day, when another "opening affair" will be enjoyed.

A meeting of the Tropico Civic Club was held in the Knights of Pythias hall on Brand boulevard on Tuesday evening of last week. The principal business of the evening was the considering of the fire protection question. In this regard the following resolution was adopted: "Whereas it appears from reports current that an impression prevails in the city that the Tropico Civic Club is in favor of locating the proposed municipal building on or near the San Fernando road, and such impression being erroneous and contrary to the desire, wishes and intention of the clubs; therefore, be it resolved, that the Civic Club go on record as being in favor, in case the proposed bonds for such building carries, of locating such building at some central point, preferable, on Brand boulevard between Tropico and Palmer avenues."

Lee Garnett, constable of Lankershim was brought before Justice Melrose of this place the other day on a complaint sworn to by William Thompson. Thompson, it seems, had just completed a 25-days jail sentence for some minor offense and upon being released the revolver which he had formerly carried was returned to him. Immediately upon receiving the weapon he took the cylinder out of it and put the parts in his pocket. On his way to Los Angeles he stopped at the blacksmith shop and while there Constable Garnett again appeared and at the point of his revolver commanded Thompson to throw up his hands. It was evidently Garnett's intention to recage the "bird" on a charge of carrying concealed weapons. The case was brought to Recorder Melrose of this city for hearing. When Thompson proved absolutely that the weapon was in several pieces when the arrest occurred, Mr. Melrose fined Garnett $25, the payment of the fine being suspended indefinitely. From the evidence presented it seems as though the marshal should have been given $50, which should have been made payable immediately.

The trustees of this city have taken up with the Pacific Electric authorities the matter of fast driving of the cars through this city. A recent accident which resulted almost in the death of a little girl, one leg having already been amputated and the victim still being in a critical condition, caused the people to realize that the P. E. cars were traveling through this city at an unusually reckless speed. Without exaggeration it can be said that at times these cars travel through portions of Tropico at not less than 45 miles an hour, while the speed limit for autos is held down to 20 miles. Also, an auto can stop in about one-fourth the distance that it takes an electric car to come to a standstill when the two cars are traveling at the same rate of speed. It is understood that the railway officials are being gently reminded that the speed of travel is too great. If this has not the desired effect more strenuous methods will be used.

Under the direction of the Tropico Mercantile company a fashion magazine will soon be issued to the residents of this place, including the company's customers and others. The publication will be known as "Good Dressing" and will bring to the women of the San Fernando Valley the smart styles about to appear in dress centers of the world.

WEST GLENDALE

Mr. and Mrs. Arthur Miner spent a few days in San Diego, returning Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. A. J. Klein and children returned from Phoenix on Tuesday morning.

Mr. and Mrs. G. M. Hitchcock motored to Riverside on Saturday last, returning home in time to enjoy the late storm.

Lucien Gervais left Monday for Athens, Georgia, where he will go in training for one month prior to his departure for Boston as pitcher for the Boston National League.

The Queen Esthers of the West Glendale M. E. Sunday school will hold their next meeting at the home of Louise Brooks, Saturday, March 8th, at 2:30 p. m. All members please attend.

Owing to the weather conditions the first of the week, there was no school in Glendale. Many of the children were unable to reach the buildings and those who did brave the storm were in many instances so wet that they were obliged to be sent home. About fifty-two scholars appeared at the Remington street school on Monday, but as there was no school, they were sent home. Through the kindness of Mrs. Chas. H. Toll and Mr. E. M. Witt, all those living outside of walking distance were taken to their homes in automobiles.

Following in the footsteps of his partner, Albert Cornwell, of the firm Cornwell & Kelty, was quietly married on Tuesday, February 18th, to Miss Lilian Goetz. The ceremony was witnessed by the immediate family only and was performed by the Rev. Dr. Mills at the bride's home, 875 Brand boulevard. The couple left for a short trip to San Diego, but are now in Glendale and will make their home on Louise street where the bridegroom has prepared a cozy new bungalow. Mr. Cornwell and bride need little introduction to the people of Glendale, being well known and liked by every one. The heartiest congratulations are extended to the couple.

WATCH US GROW!

Glendale is certainly going right ahead, newcomers right along,—come to stay, too. This time it is a fine young man, arriving at the home of Mr. and Mrs. H. W. Yarrick, 1447 West Third street, on Friday morning, February 21st. Everybody concerned perfectly contented and happy and doing fine. Mr. Yarrick is secretary to Mr. Edwin T. Earl of Los Angeles.

TUESDAY AFTERNOON CLUB.

The next meeting of the Tuesday Afternoon Club will be held on March 11 at Masonic hall, and will be a luncheon at 12:30.

Owing to the inclemency of the weather and the consequent unreliable car service to Los Angeles, many members of the Tuesday Afternoon Club did not attend Mrs. Haffner-Ginger's splendid lecture in the Times building Tuesday afternoon.

The baking of sponge cake was the interesting subject of her discussion, and many indeed were the valuable points demonstrated by this clever woman on the preparation and baking of this time-honored and delicate edible.

The hostess graciously answered any questions asked and those present fully realized that the ones who failed to come were greatly the losers, as every moment of the time was filled with surprises. When the subject had been thoroughly discussed a wonderful luncheon was served of delicious rainbow pudding with whipped cream, coffee and of course, the "sponges" being the "piece de resistance."

The proceeds of the sale of cook books was generously donated by Mrs. Haffner-Ginger to the clubhouse fund and it is regrettable so few were present, to avail themselves of the opportunity of securing some unusually fine recipes and also assist in swelling the clubhouse fund.

Mrs. Blackburn, in behalf of the Glendale ladies present, thanked the charming hostess for a very interesting and exceedingly profitable afternoon.

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HOUSEHOLD ECONOMICS.

Household economics day was observed by the Tuesday Afternoon Club on Tuesday when the members of the club gathered on the second floor of the Los Angeles Times building where Mrs. Bertha Haffner Ginger, the club's chairman of household econmics has her model kitchen and lecture room. The afternoon formed one of the pleasantest and most instructive meetings ever enjoyed by the Tuesday Afternoon Club. Mrs. Ginger gave her regular lecture on household economics and demonstrated making a sponge cake. After which a tour of inspection through her kitchen and school kitchen was thoroughly enjoyed.

Delicious refreshments consisting of rainbow pudding with whipped cream and crystallized violets were served with sponge cake and coffee. Mrs. Ginger's cook books were sold during the afternoon, the proceeds to go to the club's building fund.

To Mrs. Ginger and her assistant hostess, Mrs. J. T. Anderson, the club is indebted for one of the most entertaining and most profitable meetings it has ever experienced.

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Musical Vaudeville at High School

The excellent program for the musical vaudeville to be given in the high school auditorium on the evening of Friday, March 7th, under the auspices of the Junior Class, is announced as follows:

Selection ..... High School Orchestra
Whistling Solo ..... Margaret McKee
(a) The Nightingale and the Frog.
(b) The Mocking Bird
Miss Leon Trichard, accompanist
Violin Solo ..... Mr. Julius Kranz
Andante from Spanish Symphony .....
..... Edward Lalo
Mrs. Dora L. Gibson, accompanist.
Vocal Solo ..... Miss Viola Yorba
(a) Rose in the Bud.
(b) O Lovely Night.
Mrs. Dora L. Gibson, accompanist.
Xylaphone Solo ..... Paul Young
Selection ..... Male Quartet
(Of Occidental College)
Violin Solo ..... Mr. Julius Kranz
(a) Melodie (Tschaikowsky).
(b) Liebesfreud (Kreisler).
Mrs. Dora L. Gibson, accompanist.
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MEMORIAL SERVICE CONTINUED.

At the G.A.R. hall on Sabbath afternoon there was given a part of a very interesting program which will be continued Friday afternoon at 1:30. Three able speakers are yet to give short addresses, among them Comrade A. B. Morrison, who always reaches the point aimed at when he speaks on any subject, and especially on this great theme. One speaker on Lincoln and two on McKinley will furnish the program. Post meets at 10:30. Lunch by W.R.C. at noon.

The Sunday school service next Sunday morning at the First Congregational church will be conducted by the girls. It will be called girls' day and they will have full charge of the service. There will be special music and a full attendance is urgently desired.

An interesting meeting will be held at I.O.O.F. hall this Saturday evening which will be addressed by Hon. Kanouse of Los Angeles, a former longtime resident of Glendale. Other attractions will be presented. The meeting is in the interests of organizing a Good Templars Lodge. Meeting at 8 o'clock. All are cordially invited.

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THAT CHARTER AGAIN.

Some Further Objections by Mr. Dell.

Editor NEWS.

Some further objections to that Freeholders' Charter may be stated.

First. Councilmen are not to be elected by wards at all but by the city at large. Many of us believe in local self-government in allowing each community to elect their councilmen, since we know our neighbors. The charter makers pretended to have compromised on that question by putting an "alternative" proposition up to the voters. In fact, it was only a pretense. The "alternative" being only whether each councilman shall be required to live in the ward from which he is elected. The election, however, is by the city at large. It is a case of turkey and buzzard. "You take the buzzard and I'll take the turkey; or I'll take the turkey and you'll take the buzzard." These wise guys don't say "turkey" to us nary time. Of course, such juggling will be rebuked at the polls.

Second. Another serious objection is the absolute 40-year franchise. It is curious that such a monopoly provision should find its way into a charter prepared by avowed "progressives" who cry aloud from the house tops for public ownership of all public utilities. Short terms, revertible to the public is the "tum-tum" of real reformers. This is one of the several "snakes in the grass," "anguis in urba"—that lie hid in this strange charter. Another moccasin, I think, now scotched, that has been pushing along the "freeholders charter" for three years was the "water bond issue" for Verdugo Canon water. Since the people sat down on that scheme its promoters seem to have turned against a new charter. The evidence being the failure of that charter to "let down the bars" for the scheme. It is thought, too, that most of those behind that scheme now oppose that new charter because of its only valuable feature, to-wit: the early "new ideal" election for June.

Third. One of the very worst features of the new charter is the making of a little king for us to elect, after the "machine" nominates him: the one-man power that is alien to free government; the essence of tyranny. Of course, much may be said in favor of a city having a general manager for its business, who would run the city on business principles for profit of the public and for economy. The Whittier charter is on that line. It elects five trustees wtih a nominal salary; leaving to them the selection of a general business manager with a suitable salary; but removable at their will. There is some business sense in that plan. But our scheme creates a little despot—a king;—the leader of a compact political machine without any guards for the public welfare. Once in, it would be a great task to turn him out on the 40 per cent recall, so strongly criticised by Mr. Payne.

Fourth. This crude and dangerous charter is full of pitfalls for the unwary. Mr. Payne has clearly pointed out several of them besides those I attack. It is hardly necessary, I think, to waste more time, or ammunition, on a "dead duck," however. We have no urgent need for a new charter, anyhow. The plain and simple one we now have serves us very well, and is inexpensive. If, too, we shall (by using the recall if needful) elect trustees who are in sympathy with real popular government, the present charter will, I think, enable us to create a social and civic center in each ward, or political unit, with the town meeting that can cure all our political ills, enabling the masses in each ward, or political unit, to control their own nominations for the direct primary, instead of allowing the "machine" to usurp, as now, that inestimable right of a free people.

SIDNEY DELL.

THE LIBRARY.

Having formerly been opposed to the acceptance of Carnegie libraries because of the effect upon the impressionable minds of our youth, who are led to interpret every such act as a justification of the methods by which the donor's wealth was acquired, and having come to view the matter in another light, it seems proper to make a few comments, particularly at this time when effort is being made by some of our citizens to present a concerted protest against the acceptance of a library of that kind for ourselves.

To the adult its acceptance would impose only a measure of self-stultification which would be more than offset by the great and permanent good which would accrue.

To make it clear how this would work out we have only to remember that every monument to St. Andrew the Bland is a perpetual invitation, to our youths particularly, to inquire as to the life and business methods of the donor:

Without these would he not soon be forgotten! Thus would they in the end become familiar with that famed report upon the United States Steel corporation compiled by our federal government. They would learn that 50,000 men toiled seven days a week, that 103,000 worked twelve hours a day for the shameful pittance of $2.10, resulting in the "earnings" of the corporation amounting in a single year to $40,000,000.

They would learn of the grind and degredation of the toilers, of the strife and bitter feeling engendered, of the misery and distress and poverty of the exploited.

Incidentally they might learn that we are paying to the steel trust interest on sixty millions of dollars "worth" of "water." And may we not logically presume that the knowledge acquired would lead them to see justice in the demand for a radical readjustment of sociological conditions? They might come to believe that the means of production and distribution should be collectively owned by those who use them. Would they not then know that a condition allowing a few to fatten upon the ignorance, the weakness, and the dependence of human beings should be destroyed, root, branch and fiber?

Let us accept this visible reminder of its existence as a thing more to be desired than condemned.

C. E. HUTCHINSON.